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This is a short story on overcoat detail. We'll pass over all about the propriety of the styles, and the fit, and the superiority, and the variety of sizes, and the material, and so on, and come right down, or rather up, to a little **Shoulder Wisdom**. All garments made by Crouse & Brandages, Manufacturing Tailors, Utica, New York, are made with **Concave Shoulders** and close-fitting collar. The result of this is very apparent. These overcoats show it at a glance. When you get before the mirror you will notice it even more. It doesn't look padded. Some shoulders look as though made by the upholsterer, but there is none of that in ours. It looks clean-cut, well-built and gives the shoulders an added breadth, but without attractive. The secret lies in the making. The same, too, with the entire garment. The care that's put in the shoulders is put in "all over," and thus the genuine goodness.



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PRISONERS BREAK JAIL AND ESCAPE

Sensational Delivery Attempted at Utah Penitentiary, Resulting in Death of a Convict.

Two Men Under Death Sentence Escape and a Posse Has Gone in Pursuit.

GUARDS ARE OVERPOWERED

One Prisoner Shot to Death on the Wall and Two Others Brought Down by the Guards.

Salt Lake, Oct. 9.—As the result of an attempt at wholesale delivery of prisoners at the Utah penitentiary tonight, one of the prisoners was killed one guard was wounded, another was beaten almost into insensibility, three prisoners were taken down by two others under death sentence escaped. Dead—Convict Frank Dayton. Wounded—Guards Wilkins and Jacobs; Convicts Ed Mullan, Abe Majors and Harry Wadel. Escaped—Nick Haworth and James Lynch under death sentence. None of the wounded, it is believed, is seriously hurt. A posse of prison guards, with several bloodhounds, was promptly started on the trail of the two escaped convicts, but owing to darkness and wild nature of the country no results are looked for tonight.

The outbreak occurred this evening, just as the prisoners were being placed in their cells for the night by Guards Wilkins and Jacobs. Two of the prisoners overpowered Wilkins and Jacobs the former being shot and slightly wounded and the latter frightfully beaten. The convicts released five other prisoners, and the seven then compelled Guard Wilkins to march at their head, and, with the assistance of ladders, scaled the wall.

Wilkins was made to ascend first. As the first convict reached the top a guard who was on the wall opened fire and the guards who were in the office hastened to the scene. Guard Driggs reached the wall and just as Dayton and Mullan were descending on the outside he fired, killing Dayton. The second shot struck Mullan, who dropped to the ground.

The other five convicts had succeeded in reaching the outside of the wall when they were fired upon by the guards. Majors and Wadel were brought to the ground. Haworth was shot, but continued his flight. Lynch escaped uninjured, it is believed. Two of the prisoners were armed with revolvers. Where they secured the weapons is not known.

MICHAEL DAVITT'S NEW BOOK

Tells Story of Jewish Oppression in Far East.

New York, Oct. 9.—Fresh from a visit to the great centers of Jewish population in Russia, Michael Davitt, has written his estimate of the conditions and future of those people in a volume entitled "Within the Pale," which will be issued from the presses of A. S. Barnes & Company tomorrow.

"The Jew, as he is ruled and oppressed by the Russian officials, is a far greater danger to Russian autocracy than anti-Semitism is to the Israelites of the 'pale,'" declares Mr. Davitt in the preface to his work.

"The danger," he continues, "was candidly avowed by all the representative Russians from whom I solicited light and information."

Mr. Davitt sees further catastrophe ahead because of unnatural economic and social conditions.

"The facts of the economic and social conditions with the pale of settlement," he writes, "are so objective that the warning they give of a coming catastrophe cannot be ignored."

"It would be like leaving an epidemic of small pox to cure itself by neglect. This condition of things is fully expressed by the term unnatural. It is analogous to a situation which would result from a federal law compelling every European-born artisan and laborer within the whole United States to reside inside the state of Pennsylvania and to be forbidden to seek employment outside the cities and towns of that state. The murderous competition for employment, the deadly rivalry for existence, the bad blood between opposing races, the poverty and social wretchedness which such a condition of things would create—apart from the operation of coercive laws—can readily be imagined by the American reader. But this is no overdrawn picture of the economic anarchy prevailing within the Russian pale of Jewish settlement."

"The towns are crowded with artisans and traders as these are out of all proportion to the producers and consumers of an agricultural country, they necessarily become more destitute and wretched as their numbers increase.

They are too poor to emigrate. They are prohibited from migrating. They cannot seek work on land. They are not permitted to engage in several occupations."

Mr. Davitt asserts that the czar can accomplish much more for the Jews in his domain by destroying the legend of the blood atonement.

"M. De Plevne and the Tsar," he avers, "can accomplish one good and blessed work, if so minded, without altering a single anti-Semitic Russian law. The emperor can destroy in Russia the atrocious legend about the annual killing of Christians by Jews as an alleged part of the blood atonement in Hebrew Paschal rites. In this humane and Christian task he is entitled to the co-operation of the emperor of Austria, the king of Roumania and the heads of the other Balkan states, where this story of ritual murder is constantly circulated and not infrequently as a matter of political propaganda. There ought to be a truly Christian crusade waged against this infamous product of ancient, insensate, sectarian hate."

Mr. Davitt calls attention to the striking economic growth of Russia in the following sentences: "What Russia is accused of coveting in Manchuria or desiring in Persia and not what she is strenuously and rapidly achieving in the sphere of her vast domestic activities exercises the critical attention of west European and American Journalists. And yet the wide and sure and extraordinary progress that is being made in the economic development of a great empire, as self contained in its measureless natural resources as the United States and with an assured domestic market for most of her manufactured products in a population of fully 140,000,000—growing at a rate of 2,000,000 annually out of a natural increase—ought to be a subject of infinite great concern to the public thought of commercial rivals like Great Britain and the United States—as it undoubtedly is to the keener sense of German competition—than what Russian policy may or may not mean in its diplomatic trend in the far east."

Returning to the subject of the Jew and discussing the amelioration of his condition, Mr. Davitt says: "I have come from a journey through the Jewish pale—a convinced believer in the remedy of Zionism. I fall to see any other that can offer any equal hope of success. It is a necessity of the actual situation and faces the growing peril of the Russian Jew with a courageous plan of repatriation. Hope for partial or ultimate emancipation in Russia there is none. Other countries cannot be expected to relieve Russia of the unhappy victims of oppression and poverty. Where, then, are they to go?"

RITCHIE IS HISSED BY BIG CROWD

Free Trade Advocate Jeered by Four Thousand People Who Gather to Hear Him Talk at Croyden.

Statement Regarding American Attitude the Signal for a Fresh Outburst.

CHEERS FOR CHAMBERLAIN

Ex-Chancellor of the Exchequer Meets With Discouraging Reception in Opening Campaign.

London, Oct. 9.—Ritchie, member of parliament for Croyden, and until recently chancellor of the exchequer, delivered a speech tonight on free trade and the reasons for his resignation before an audience of 4,000 people at the Croyden town hall.

A large liberal element was present and the reception of Ritchie was decidedly inharmonious, consisting of cheers and hoots and counter cheers for Joseph Chamberlain.

Ritchie said that as chancellor of the exchequer, he could not consent to a fiscal revolution and the overturning of the policy of his conservative predecessors on the strength of the arguments of Chamberlain, "whose strong point always was to present any scheme he championed in the most favorable light."

The former chancellor of the exchequer felt sure that the preferential proposals were the entering wedge which would land the country in the same position as Germany, where food tax had driven the working men to socialism.

Ritchie asserted that one of the principal questions to be considered was the attitude of the United States. "This country," he said, "must guard against giving the United States cause for resentment which would result in her punishing Canada."

The above statement resulted in fresh disorder and the singing of "Rule Britannia."

The mixed reception given to Ritchie at Croyden tonight is regarded as an indication that Mr. Chamberlain's scheme is taking hold of the country and is fiercely dividing the Unionist party. Ritchie strongly attacked the Chamberlain policy and declared that it would raise the cost of everything.

RENOUNCED IN CANADA
Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 9.—The allied trades and labor association tonight passed a resolution condemning Cham-

berlain's policy as inimical to Canada's manufactures.

MANUFACTURED BAD MONEY
Got Pinched For Their Pains—One Tries to Suicide.

Heppner, Or., Oct. 10.—(Special)—Austin Wells, the reputed leader of the counterfeiting gang recently arrested at La Grande and Smyter, is well known here where he was raised from childhood. His parents, sister-in-law and a number of brothers and sisters were lost in the Heppner flood. One brother, George, who was drowned, was one of the most prosperous business men in Heppner. With the exception of Austin, the family has always stood the highest.

It is stated in the Portland Journal that Wells is thought to have done time. This is not the case. While he has frequently been in trouble he has never gotten further than the city or county jail. In many respects he is not an ideal tough, being kind-hearted and true to a friend. It is reported that he attempted suicide on the way to Portland while in charge of the officers, but failed.

Little is known of the other boys in the trouble. George Stratton has been around Heppner a great deal and young Claud Cochran has relatives here. He is but a child, being but 17 years of age. Irwin, the waiter, is unknown here.

(The crime of passing a counterfeit \$5 gold piece occurred in La Grande and it is believed that Wells is the leader in the enterprise. "Kid" Irwin worked in a restaurant and the others used him as a medium through which to circulate a part of the bad money, which, of course, was the employer's loss. The imitations are very poor. No tools have been discovered.)

ACCIDENT TO COTTAGE CITY
Seattle, Oct. 9.—The Pacific Coast Steamship Company's Alaska liner Cottage City has met with an accident to her machinery and is now proceeding to the sound in tow of the steamship Topeka. Late yesterday afternoon while crossing Frederick sound she broke her low pressure cylinder and was unable to proceed under her own steam.

JAPAN HAS SUBMITTED ULTIMATUM

Reported at Chee Foo That Russia Has Been Served With Notice Requiring a Quick Reply.

Russian Troops March Through New Chwang in Pompous Manner.

JAPANESE PATIENCE GONE

Tokio Papers Aver Russia is Trying to Force War By Her Warlike Attitude in Manchuria.

London, Oct. 9.—The Morning Post's correspondent at Chee Foo telegraphs: "Rumors are current that Japan has sent an ultimatum to Russia expiring in a few days."

PARADED THE CITY
New Chwang, Oct. 9.—Troops of the Russian garrison, headed by their band playing national airs, paraded the principal streets of the foreign and Chinese settlements today, ostentatiously, as though to emphasize the fact that the Russians are still governors of this port.

The civil administrator, M. Grosse, today stated he had received no instructions regarding withdrawals. He assistants freely assert that permanent occupation is intended. In speaking with the consul, who called today to inquire regarding Russia's intentions, the officials treated the question of occupation as a joke.

Two Japanese representing themselves as merchants were arrested on the railway as spies a fortnight ago, and are now in prison at Port Arthur. The Japanese consul's request for their release is ignored.

RUSSIA FORCING WAR
Tokohama, Oct. 9.—The leading papers, in voicing Japanese opinion today, show unusually intense feeling in the far eastern situation. The Jiji of Tokio says:

"The patience of the people has now reached the extreme limit. Japan only asks Russian fulfillment of treaty pledges, yet Russia is apparently challenging her to a contest."

The Asahi, arguing on the same lines, points to the moderate Japanese attitude and "long and serious provocation."

Both papers say Russia "must modify her attitude considerably if an amicable settlement is to be reached."

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